



Welcome to St. Mary's Hampton

PTFA page

We are the Parents, Teachers & Friends of St. Mary's Church of England Primary School (PTFA).

We are a small group of parents, organising events and fundraisers to help make the school a great place to be for all our children.

- *Laura Kitaya - Chair*
- *Jo Mayar - Treasurer*
- *Rachel Hornblow - Secretary*
- *Sophie Fenwick - Trustee*
- *John Hornblow – Trustee*

We organise fundraising events and functions for parents, staff and children, working closely with Mrs Wayland and other school staff to enrich everyday school life and enhance our children's educational experiences.

Everyone with a child at our school is welcome and encouraged to get involved. Everyone is welcome to attend any of our meetings and we always want to hear new ideas! We are also after some new members to join our team so please get in touch if you are able to help!

Did you know?

PTFA funds have recently paid for:

- *Outdoor play equipment for playtimes and lunchtimes*
- *New sports equipment for PE lessons*
- *New reading books to match the Little Wandle Phonics scheme*
- *Welcome packs for our new Reception families in September*
- *Arts Week*
- *Two Author visits*

Here is a selection of things that the PTFA has funded so far this year...



How can you support the PTFA?

*We are always looking for more members and helpers and new ideas to bring to the PTFA. All talents are welcome and there are opportunities to **contribute a little or a lot or anything in between!***

The PTFA meets a few times a year to plan activities and events and discuss ways that we can add value to the school. In the past, this has included:

- *Christmas Fairs*
- *Summer Fairs*
- *Colour Runs*
- *Quizzes*
- *Discos*
- *Cake Sales*
- *Mothers' Day and Fathers' Day gifts*
- *Christmas Cards*
- *Tea Towels*

*Being part of the PTFA is a great way to **get involved in school life, meet other parents, have some fun and support our children** through fundraising!*

If you'd like to find out more: Please get in touch with Laura via the PTFA email, PTFA@stmaryshampton.school.org.uk, or leave your name and contact details at the school office at any time and they can pass your details on.

If you are unable to give your time to the PTFA, there are other ways that you can help!

Please try to come along and support our events – the dates will be given out as soon as we have them. We aim to make fundraising as fun as we can for everyone (who doesn't love to splat a rat or hook a duck?!)

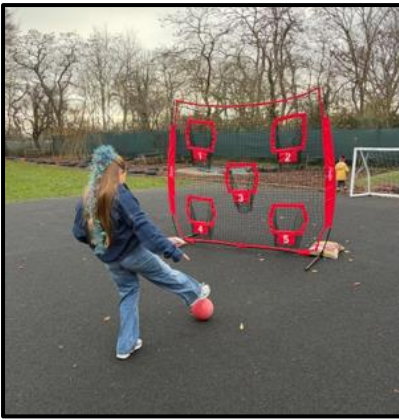
We are always after volunteers on the day to help to run these activities – please do sign up to the rota if you can spare an hour of your time.

Look at some photos from our recent events...

September 2025 – Colour Run and Fayre



December 2025 – Christmas Fair



Here are some other ways that you can help!



Using easyfundraising is a simple way to support our school without spending any extra money. When you shop online through the app or website, thousands of well-known retailers donate a small percentage of what you spend directly to our school's PTFA. It's quick to set up, completely free, and once you've downloaded it, you can raise funds just by doing your everyday shopping—whether that's groceries, clothes, holidays, or gifts. Every purchase adds up, helping us provide valuable resources, events, and opportunities for our children.

So far, nearly £3,000 has been raised for our school through easyfundraising! Please link on the logo above or the link below to sign up...

[St. Mary's Hampton easyfundraising](#)



Using Your School Lottery is a fun and easy way to support our school while having the chance to win prizes. By purchasing a low-cost weekly ticket, you'll be entered into a regular draw, with a guaranteed cash prize for one lucky winner from our school community, plus the chance to win larger national jackpots. A portion of every ticket sold goes directly to our PTFA, helping to fund resources, events, and opportunities for our children. It's a simple way to make a real difference while adding a little excitement each week! You can either click on the logo or the link below to set up your account. Good luck!

[St. Mary's Hampton - Your School Lottery](#)

Safeguarding

As a school, safeguarding is always a priority and this extends to school volunteers. Our PTFA members hold enhanced DBS Certificates and the school has carried out full volunteer safeguarding checks.

Labelling uniform - don't forget

Please make sure that you label all your child's clothing and belongings that they wear/bring to school. There is a lost property box next to the gate where unlabelled clothing is stored. It is always rather full!